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SUBJECT: EXCEPTION TO POLICY TO WEAR BLACK INTERMEDIATE COLD WET BOOTS (ICWB) WITH THE ARMY COMBAT UNIFORM (ACU)

- 1. THE PURPOSE OF THIS MESSAGE IS TO ANNOUNCE A TEMPORARY EXCEPTION TO POLICY FOR WEARING THE BLACK ICWB WITH THE ACU. POLICY CONTAINED IN THIS MESSAGE IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.
- 2. BECAUSE OF LIMITED INVENTORY OF THE TAN ICWB, SOLDIERS IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS HAVE BEEN GRANTED A TEMPORARY EXCEPTION TO POLICY TO WEAR THE BLACK ICWB WITH THE ACU FROM NOV 06 THRU APR 07 IN CLIMATE ZONES 3 THRU 7, IAW CTA 50-900, APPENDIX B-3, WHICH COVERS THE FOLLOWING AREAS:
- A. COLD REGIONS OF THE UNITED STATES
- B. KOREA
- C. EUROPE
- D. ALASKA
- 3. THIS MESSAGE HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED BY THE ARMY G-1.
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- 5. THIS MESSAGE EXPIRES 1 MAY 07.